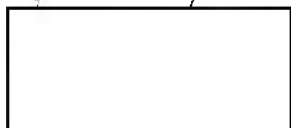


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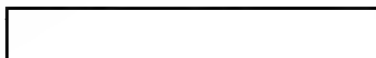
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1. REFERENCE IS MADE TO SITSUM PRODUCED BY AS OF 27 DECEMBER 1962 DEALING WITH CHINA AND NORTH VIETNAM.

2. FURTHER ANALYSIS HAS REVEALED THE FOLLOWING REGARDING THE MILITARY BUILD-UP AT SSU MAO (2247N 10059E):

THERE APPROXIMATELY 250 LARGE BUILDINGS IN AREA WHICH ARE PROBABLY MILITARY. 150 OF THESE CONCENTRATED IN ONE LARGE MILITARY CAMP WHILE THE REMAINDER ARE FOUND IN SEVERAL SMALLER INSTALLATIONS ADJACENT TO AND PROBABLY ASSOCIATED WITH THE LARGER INSTALLATION. SEVEN HUNDRED OR MORE BUILDINGS CAN BE COUNTED IN AND AROUND THE TOWN OF SSU MAO.

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